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Security Council

Security Council Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict

10 a.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

3.30–6 p.m.	Informal meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

10 a.m.	89th plenary meeting	General Assembly Hall

1. Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/407/Add.1) [33]

2. Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields; Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit: report of the Secretary-General (A/64/701) [48 and 114]

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Security Council Chamber Room GA-TSC-01, in connection with the agenda item "Maintenance of international peace and security: Intercultural dialogue for peace and security". Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (tel. 1 (212) 963-5258; room TB-08083; fax 1 (212) 963-4213), from 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Delegations are also kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *five minutes*.

Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

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General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

The informal meeting of the plenary on the organization of a United Nations World Youth Conference will be held on Tuesday, 25 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

A letter from the Facilitator, dated 19 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

An informal "informal" meeting on system-wide coherence will be held on Tuesday, 25 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB) (Preamble, Governance – including possible legislation concerning Long-term Independent System-wide Evaluation Mechanism).

A letter from the Co-Facilitators, dated 19 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

The work plan on system-wide coherence can be found at the following address: <www.un.org/ga/president/64/issues/swc.shtml>.

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

There will be a meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group of the General Assembly to follow up on the issues contained in the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development, on "Reform of the international financial and economic system, including voice and participation of developing countries in the Bretton Woods institutions", on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

A letter from the Co-Chairs, dated 14 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

For further information, please visit <www.un.org/esa/ffd/events/2010GAWGFC/>.

Launch of the Survey of Conference Services

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations to complete the *Survey of Conference Services*, to help improve the quality of its services. The survey will be accessible until Sunday, 30 May 2010, from the following Web sites: DGACM <www.un.org/Depts/DGACM>; General Assembly <www.un.org/ga/>; Main Committees <www.un.org/ga/maincommittees.shtml>; Committees QuickPlace; deleGATE (iSeek page for Member States) <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal>; and eMeets <http://emeets.un.org/dgacm/emeets.nsf>. The Under-Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management would greatly appreciate the assistance of delegations in completing the Survey.

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 129 (Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors (A/64/5 (Vol. II), A/64/702 and A/64/708));

Agenda item 158 (b) (Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East: United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (A/64/542, A/64/641, A/64/641/Corr.1, A/64/660/Add.14 and A/64/660/Add.14/Corr.1)); and

Agenda item 161 (Financing of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operations in Darfur (A/64/579, A/64/579/Corr.1, A/64/685 and A/64/660/Add.13))

3–6 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item146 (Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations: support account for peacekeeping operations (A/64/611, A/64/611/Add.1, A/64/697, A/64/697/Add.1, A/64/697/Add.2, A/64/572, A/64/572/Corr.1, A/64/652 and A/64/753))

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2010-2011 for the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Sexual Violence in Conflict
2. Executive meeting

Independent Audit Advisory Committee
Tenth session

9.30 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room C (NLB)

Economic and Social Council

3 p.m. . . . . 10th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Proposed organization of work for the 2010 substantive session and other organizational matters

Afternoon[1]–6 p.m. . . . . Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Informal briefings

1. Outcome of the spring meeting of the Bretton Woods institutions

   Speakers:

   Ms. Lisa Finneran, Chief Officer, Corporate Finance, World Bank

   Mr. Elliott Harris, Special Representative of the International Monetary Fund to the United Nations

2. Preparations for the report of the Secretary-General on the role of the Economic and Social Council in the integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits, in light of relevant General Assembly resolutions, including resolution 61/16, in accordance with Council resolution 2009/29

   Speaker:

   Mr. Nikhil Seth, Director, Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 10th meeting of the Council.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund
Informal consultations

There will be an informal consultation on the UNIFEM 2009 annual report *today*, 21 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Conferences at Headquarters

Friday, 21 May 2010

2010 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation Nuclear Weapons

5–6 p.m. . . . . 13th plenary meeting . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Main Committee I

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Subsidiary Body I

10–10.30 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Main Committee II

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

3–5 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

Main Committee III

3–5 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

[*Note*: Further information on the Conference and the list of side events can be found at <www.un.org/en/conf/npt/2010/>.]

Other meetings

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Friday, 21 May 2010

Eastern European Group (at the experts level)

10–11.15 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultation on the draft resolution entitled "The right to education in emergency situations", under agenda item 114 of the sixth-fourth session of the General Assembly (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Norway and Qatar)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of Friends United against Human Trafficking (at the expert level)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Other activities

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Friday, 21 May 2010

Latin American and Caribbean regional consultation on the preparatory process for the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals (co-organized by the Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC) and the Rio Group)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Patricio Aguirre, Permanent Mission of Chile (e-mail paguirre@chileun.org; tel. 1 (917) 322-6804).]

Second meeting of focal points to develop action plan for international police peacekeeping (co-organized by the Office of the Special Representative for the International Criminal Police Organization (INTERPOL) to the United Nations and the Department of Peacekeeping Operations)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[Open to Member States only. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Allison Torbet, Office of the Special Representative for the INTERPOL (e-mail a.torbet@interpol.int; tel. 1 (917) 367-3463).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Friday, 21 May 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon . . . . . Press briefing by the Spokesperson

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Monday, 24 May 2010, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

Review Conference on the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks

The resumed Review Conference on the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks will be held at Headquarters from Monday, 24, to Friday, 28 May 2010. The Conference will convene on Monday, 24 May, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). The provisional agenda and the draft organization of work of the Conference are contained in documents A/CONF.210/2010/L.1 and A/CONF.210/2010/L.2, respectively.

With regard to the composition of delegations, the attention of participating States is drawn to rule 7 (Submission of credentials) of the provisional rules of procedure of the Review Conference (A/CONF.210/2006/6). Accordingly, participating States that have not yet done so are requested to submit their credentials to the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs (room DC2-450; fax 1 (212) 963-5847).

Delegations wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers are invited to contact DOALOS (e-mail doalos@un.org (with a copy to onwuasoanya@un.org); fax 1 (212) 963-5847).

Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

The Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects will be held from 14 to 18 June 2010 in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional agenda and programme of work are contained in A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/L.1*, and A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/L.2*, respectively. Further information can be found on the meeting website <www.poa-iss.org/bms4/>.

Participants are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary, Mr. Timur Alasaniya, Chief, Disarmament and Peace Affairs Branch,

Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (room IN-611, 300 East 42nd Street; fax 1 (212) 963-5305 (c/o Mr. Gerard Cianciulli, e-mail cianciulli@un.org)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

Committee on Contributions
Seventieth session

The Committee on Contributions will hold its seventieth session at Headquarters from Monday, 7, to Friday, 25 June 2010.

The attention of any Member States intending to request an exemption under Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations is drawn to the provisions of General Assembly resolution 54/237 C, in which the Assembly, inter alia, urges such Member States to provide the fullest possible supporting information.

The Assembly also decided that requests for exemption under Article 19 must be submitted by Member States at least two weeks before the session of the Committee on Contributions, so as to ensure a full review of the requests. Accordingly, any such requests should be received by the President of the General Assembly no later than *today*, 21 May 2010. For further information, kindly contact the Secretary of the Committee (room FF-610, 304 East 45th Street; tel. 1 (212) 963-5306 or 963-5866; fax 1 (212) 963-1943).

The Committee on Contributions will also be considering multi-year payment plans submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/4 B, as reaffirmed in resolution 64/248 of the Assembly. Any Member States intending to submit such a plan are also invited to contact the Secretary of the Committee for further information.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Nineteenth Meeting

Working Group of the Bureau

The informal Working Group of the Bureau of the nineteenth Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold its 8th meeting on the workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fourth session

Working Group on Lessons Learned

An open meeting of the Working Group on Lessons Learned of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

2010 resumed session

The 2010 resumed session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will be held from Wednesday, 26 May, to Friday, 4 June 2010, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional agenda with annotations is contained in document E/C.2/2010/1.

Members of the Committee, as well as observers, who wish to update the composition of their delegations, and new observers wishing to attend the resumed session, are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Saijin Zhang (room IN-0613C; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Background information on the Committee, its procedures, forms and documentation is available on the Web site of the NGO Section, Department of Economic and Social Affairs <www.un.org/esa/coordination/ngo>.

Committee for Programme and Coordination

Fiftieth session

The fiftieth session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination will be held from Monday, 7 June, to Friday, 2 July 2010.

Delegations that have not yet submitted the names of their representatives participating at the fiftieth session are requested to do so, to the office of the Secretary of the Committee for Programme and Coordination (room L-0321; fax 1 (212) 963-0360).

All relevant documentation and the provisional and tentative programme of work of the Committee for Programme and Coordination for the fiftieth session will be available on the following Web site: <www.un.org/ga/cpc>.

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board

Annual session

The 2010 annual session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from Tuesday, 1, to Friday, 4 June 2010, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The provisional annotated agenda, timetable and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2010/8. Advance copies of all documentation for the session are available at <www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_52769.html>.

Member States, as well as observers and representatives of other organizations attending the session, are requested to fax their credentials to the office of the Secretary of the Executive Board of UNICEF (e-mail jpiccolominigeary@unicef.org; tel. 1 (212) 326-7096), as early as possible, but no later than *today*, 21 May 2010.

In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedures and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund
Informal consultation

An informal consultation on the annual report of the Administrator of UNDP on "Strategic plan: Performance and results for 2009" will take place on Monday, 24 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, in the Hank Shannon Conference Room (DC1-Building, 21st floor).

Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming conferences at Headquarters

Pledging Conference for the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia

A Pledging Conference for the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia (ECCC) will be held on Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Delegations are requested to submit, in writing, the names of their representatives to the Pledging Conference to the Secretary of the Conference, Mr. Moncef Khane (e-mail syyap@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

The list of speakers is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to contact the secretariat of the Conference (Ms. Celia Syyap (e-mail syyap@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-0906; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

Other forthcoming meetings

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International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

Monday, 24 May 2010, from 8.45 to 9.45 a.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Informal consultation on the draft resolution entitled "The right to education in emergency situations", under agenda item 114 of the sixth-fourth session of the General Assembly (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Norway and Qatar)

Monday, 24 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

Asian Group (monthly meeting)

Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Panel discussion on "Make peace happen", theme of the Year of Peace and Security in Africa (on the occasion of Africa Day 2010) (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the African Union, in partnership with the Office of the Permanent Observer Mission of the International Organization of la Francophonie)

Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Diplomatic Ballroom of the Millennium Plaza Hotel.

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the African Union (Ms. Alice Mungwa (e-mail mungwaa@africa-union.org; tel. 1 (212) 319-5490, ext.14); or Ms. Marieme Kane (e-mail kanem@africa-Union.org; tel. 1 (212) 319-5490, ext. 15)).]

UNU Midday Forum on "Environment and migration in the Caribbean" (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please visit <www.ony.unu.edu/events-forums/new/MDForums/2010/environment-and-migration-in-t.php>; or contact Mr. Koba Tchegoun, UNU-ONY (e-mail koba@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-6387).]

UNITAR/Olof Palme Memorial Fund Workshop on "Effective negotiation in multilateral conferences"

Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 9.15 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.;

Thursday, 27 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.; and

Friday, 28 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

(at the Permanent Mission of Finland (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 222))

[For further information and to register, please visit <www.unitar.org/event/workshop-effective-negotiation-multilateral-conferences-1>; or contact Ms. Hyun Sung, UNITAR (e-mail hyun.sung@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund
Annual session 2010
United Nations Office at Geneva

The 2010 annual session of the Executive Board of UNDP and of UNFPA will be held from Monday, 21 June, to Friday, 2 July 2010, in Conference Room XVIII, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva. The provisional agenda, list of documents and work plan for the session are contained in document DP/2010/L.2. Member States, as well as observers

and other organizations attending the session, are requested to convey their credentials to the secretariat of the Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA (c/o Ms. Marcela Romero (e-mail marcela.romero@undp.org; fax 1 (212) 906-5634)), as early as possible, *but no later than Friday, 11 June 2010.* The session will be preceded by an informal consultation on matters to be taken up at the annual session of the Board, on Monday, 7 June, from 11 a.m. to 12 noon in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), at Headquarters.

Announcements

***Reminder*: Reports of the Secretary-General on disarmament items to be submitted to the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly**

The Office for Disarmament Affairs would be grateful if Member States could communicate to the Office, in hard copy and electronic version, the relevant data and information, pursuant to the General Assembly resolutions indicated below, by *today,* 21 May 2010, so as to facilitate issuance of the reports in time for consideration by the General Assembly at its sixty-fifth session. Kindly send the electronic version simultaneously to Ms. Jenny Fuchs (fuchs@un.org).

Resolution 64/43, para. 8, entitled "Confidence building measures in the regional and subregional context" (A/RES/64/43), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/27-2010/CBMRSC, dated 17 March 2010); and

Resolution 64/68, para. 8, entitled "Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region" (A/RES/64/68), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/26-2010/SSCMR, dated 17 March 2010).

Reporting to the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms

A note verbale, with attachments, on the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms (ODA/5-2010/TIA) was issued on 16 February 2010. It invites Member States, with reference to General Assembly resolution 64/54 (A/RES/64/54), to provide *by Monday, 31 May 2010,* national reports on international transfers of major conventional arms and also, on an optional basis, on international transfers of small arms and light weapons (SALW), procurement through national production and military holdings as part of additional background information. In accordance with the aforementioned resolution, Member States are also requested to present with national reports their views on "whether the absence of SALW as a main category in the Register has limited its relevance".

For further information and assistance, please contact Mr. Yuriy Kryvonos, Political Affairs Officer, Conventional Arms Branch, Office for Disarmament Affairs (e-mail kryvonos@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-1096; fax 1 (212) 963-8392).

Diplomatic protection

Delegations are reminded that the deadline for the submission of comments of Governments on the recommendation by the International Law Commission to elaborate a convention on the basis of the articles on Diplomatic Protection, annexed to General Assembly resolution 62/67 of 6 December 2007 (A/RES/62/67, operative para. 3) is *Tuesday, 1 June 2010.*

Delegations may send their comments to the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (room M-13065; fax 1 (212) 963-1963).

In addition, it would be appreciated if an electronic version of the comments could also be sent to the following address: ilcweb@un.org.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.shtml> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>.

All comments and suggestions about the daily *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 19 May 2010

General Assembly

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development
First session

6th meeting

The Co-Chair (Republic of Korea) opened the meeting and made a statement.

Organizational and procedural matters . . . . . [4]

Report of Contact Group I

The Preparatory Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item and heard statements from the Co-Facilitators (Italy and Pakistan) of Contact Group I.

The Preparatory Committee decided to include the report of the deliberations of Contact Group I in its report to be submitted to the General Assembly.

Draft rules of procedure for the Conference . . . . . [5]

Report of Contact Group II

The Preparatory Committee resumed its consideration of this agenda item and heard statements from the Co-Facilitators (Argentina and the United States) of Contact Group II.

Following statements by the representatives of Egypt (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Spain (on behalf of the European Union) and Cuba, the Preparatory Committee decided to include the report of the deliberations of Contact Group II in its report to be submitted to the General Assembly.

Progress to date and remaining gaps in the implementation of the outcomes of the major summits in the area of sustainable development, as well as an analysis of the themes for the Conference (A/CONF.216/PC/2) . . . . . [3]

Introduction and discussion of the Co-Chairs' summary

The Co-Chair (Antigua and Barbuda) assumed chairmanship of the meeting and resumed the consideration of this agenda item and introduced the Co-Chairs' summary.

Statements were made by the representatives of Yemen (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Spain (on behalf of the European Union), Cuba, Australia, Egypt, the United States, Japan, Guatemala, Grenada (on behalf of AOSIS), Switzerland, Brazil, Norway and the Russian Federation.

A statement was also made by the representative of the major group of non-governmental organizations.

Adoption of the report of the Preparatory Committee on its first session . . . . . [6]

The Preparatory Committee began its consideration of the agenda item.

The Rapporteur (Croatia) introduced and orally corrected the draft report contained in document A/CONF.216/PC/1/L.1.

The Preparatory Committee decided to adopt the draft report as orally corrected and entrusted the Rapporteur, in collaboration with the secretariat, to finalize it, incorporating the Co-Chair's summary, as well as the proceedings of the last meeting, with a view to its submission to the General Assembly.

Closure of the first session of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development

A closing statement was made by the Secretary-General of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development.

The Co-Chair made a closing statement and declared the first session of the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development closed.

Thursday, 20 May 2010

Security Council

6318th meeting

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan

Report of the Secretary-General on the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2010/213)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Ibrahim Gambari, Joint African Union-United Nations Special Representative for Darfur.

The Council heard a briefing by Mr. Gambari.

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

87th plenary meeting

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields; Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit: report of the Secretary-General (A/64/701) . . . . . [48 and 114]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda items 48 and 114.

The President made a statement.

The Secretary-General made a statement.

88th plenary meeting — *Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields; Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit: report of the Secretary-General (A/64/701)* . . . . . [48 and 114]

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda items 48 and 114.

Statements were made by the representatives of Spain (on behalf of the European Union and those countries that aligned themselves with the statement), Nauru (on behalf of the Small Island Developing States), Australia (on behalf of the Pacific Islands Forum), Costa Rica (as Chair of the Human Security Network), Mexico, Egypt, Bangladesh, Slovenia, the Philippines, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Cuba, Japan, South Africa, El Salvador, Afghanistan, Kazakhstan, the United States, Indonesia, Viet Nam, the Russian Federation, Brazil, Hungary and Thailand.

General Assembly

Committee on Relations with the Host Country

246th meeting — The Chair made a statement.

Entry visas issued by the host country

Statements were made by the representatives of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and the United States, as well as by the observer of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The Chair made a statement.

Question of the security of missions and the safety of their personnel

Statements were made by the representatives of Cuba and the United States.

The Chair made a statement.

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Thursday, 20 May 2010

General Assembly

International Law Commission
Sixty-second session
United Nations Office at Geneva

3048th meeting — *Reservation to treaties* . . . . . [2]

The Commission continued its consideration of the Special Rapporteur's sixteenth report (A/CN.4/626) on the topic.

Economic and Social Council

Commission on Science and Technology for Development
Thirteenth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

7th meeting

Presentations of reports on science and technology and innovation policy reviews

Presentation of the Science, Technology and Innovation Policy (STIP) review of Ghana

The Commission began its consideration of the presentations.

An introductory statement was made by the Director of the Division on Technology and Logistics, UNCTAD.

A presentation was made by the Minister for Environment, Science and Technology of Ghana.

Statements were made by the representatives of South Africa, Pakistan, Sudan, China, Burkina Faso, the United States and the Philippines, as well as by the observers for Kenya, Nepal and Rwanda.

A statement was made by a representative from the civil society: Tunisian Association of Development of Digital Technology and Human Resources (ATTR).

The Minister responded to questions and comments raised.

The Director of UNCTAD and the Head of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development (CSTD) Secretariat/UNCTAD also made comments and responded to questions raised.

Presentation of the Science, Technology and Innovation Policy (STIP) review of Lesotho

An introductory statement was made by the Head of CSTD Secretariat/UNCTAD.

A presentation was made by the Minister of Communications, Science and Technology of Lesotho.

Statements were made by the representatives of South Africa, the Sudan, the Russian Federation and Ghana, as well as by the observers for Zimbabwe and Colombia.

The representative from the civil society, OCCAM, also made a statement.

A statement was made by the Director of the Division for Science Policy and Sustainable Development in the Natural Sciences Sector, UNESCO.

The Minister and the representative of UNESCO responded to questions raised and comments made.

The Commission thus concluded its general discussion on the presentations.

Implementation of and progress made on decisions taken at the twelfth session of the Commission . . . . . [4]

The Commission began its consideration of the item and heard an introduction by the Head of the CSTD Secretariat/UNCTAD.

A statement was made by the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

The Commission thus concluded its general discussion of the item.

Organization of work

The Secretary made a statement.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Cartagena Protocol on Biosafety to the Convention on Biological Diversity. Montreal, 29 January 2000

Accession: Guinea-Bissau (19 May 2010)[1]

[1]Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled "2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation", provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations. This year's event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

The list of treaties being highlighted this year has been circulated by depositary notification C.N.243.2010.TREATIES-3 of 28 April 2010. As is customary, it will be possible to undertake treaty actions with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Delegations intending to sign or deposit instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession relating to multilateral treaties deposited with the Secretary-

General during the treaty event may wish to inform their Governments accordingly for the purpose of completing the requisite domestic procedures.

Under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

Further information concerning the 2010 Treaty Event is available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site <http://treaties.un.org> and at the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (contact: Ms. Annebeth Rosenboom (e-mail rosenboom@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047); or Mr. Bradford Smith (e-mail smithb@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3942)). Information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*, which is also available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *May 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

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Cameroon
H.E. Mr. Michel Tommo Monthe

Asian States:
Bangladesh
H.E. Mr. Abulkalam Abdul Momen

Eastern European States:
Hungary
H.E. Mrs. Márta Horváth Fekszi

Latin American and Caribbean States:
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H.E. Mr. Gonzalo Gutiérrez

Western European and other States:
Australia
H.E. Mr. Gary Quinlan

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	Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects
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Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

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Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women
Forty-sixth session

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Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund

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International Day for Biological Diversity

Programme of meetings and agenda

Official meetings

Monday, 24 May 2010

Security Council

10 a.m. — 6319th meeting — Security Council Chamber GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

   Letter dated 14 May 2010 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2010/235)

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

4.30 p.m. — Informal consultations (closed) — Conference Room 3 (NLB)

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

The informal meeting of the plenary on the organization of a United Nations World Youth Conference will be held on Tuesday, 25 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall. A letter from the Facilitator, dated 19 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers

Security Council

In connection with the meeting to be held on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, under the agenda item "Maintenance of international peace and security: Intercultural dialogue for peace and security", the format will be a briefing rather than an open debate, as previously announced.

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General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

An informal "informal" meeting on system-wide coherence will be held on Tuesday, 25 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB) (Preamble, Governance – including possible legislation concerning the Long-term Independent System-wide Evaluation Mechanism).

A letter from the Co-Facilitators, dated 19 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

The work plan on system-wide coherence can be found at the following address: <www.un.org/ga/president/64/issues/swc.shtml>.

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

There will be a meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group of the General Assembly to follow up on the issues contained in the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development, on "Reform of the international financial and economic system, including voice and participation of developing countries in the Bretton Woods institutions", on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

A letter from the Co-Chairs, dated 14 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

For further information, please visit <www.un.org/esa/ffd/events/2010GAWGFC/>.

Launch of the Survey of Conference Services

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations to complete the *Survey of Conference Services*, to help improve the quality of its services. The survey will be accessible until Sunday, 30 May 2010, from the following Web sites: DGACM <www.un.org/Depts/DGACM>; General Assembly <www.un.org/ga/>; Main Committees <www.un.org/ga/maincommittees.shtml>; Committees QuickPlace; deleGATE (iSeek page for Member States) <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal>; and eMeets <http://emeets.un.org/dgacm/emeets.nsf>. The Under-Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management would greatly appreciate the assistance of delegations in completing the Survey.

Announcement

In the current phase of implementation of the capital master plan (CMP), and until further notice, the following conference rooms are operational in two locations:

North Lawn Building (NLB): Conference Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, A, B, C, D and E, and the Economic and Social Council Chamber. In order to identify their new location, these rooms will be followed by "NLB" (i.e. Conference Room 7 (NLB)); and

General Assembly Building: General Assembly Hall, Interim Security Council Chamber (ISCC) (room GA-TSC-01) (old Conference Room 4), Interim Security Council Consultations Room (ISCCR) (room GA-TSC-02) (old Conference Room 5) and Conference Room 8. [Conference Room 9 and the Trusteeship Council Chamber are no longer in use.]

Any inconvenience caused is regretted.

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 146 (Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations: United Nations Logistics Base at Brindisi, Italy (A/64/575, A/64/698 and A/64/660/Add.12));

Agenda item 158 (Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East: (a) United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (A/64/536, A/64/536/Corr.1, A/64/630 and A/64/660/Add.4); and (b) United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (A/64/542, A/64/641, A/64/641/Corr.1, A/64/660/Add.14 and A/64/660/Add.14/Corr.1));

Agenda item 149 (Financing of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (A/64/533, A/64/629 and A/64/660/Add.5))

Agenda item 160 (Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (A/64/602, A/64/636 and A/64/660/Add.2));

Agenda item 152 (Financing of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste (A/64/617, A/64/686 and A/64/660/Add.11)); and

Agenda item 156 (Financing of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (A/64/604, A/64/661 and A/64/660/Add.6))

3–6 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Informal consultations on:

Agenda item 161 (Financing of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (A/64/579, A/64/579/Corr.1, A/64/685 and A/64/660/Add.13));

Agenda item 159 (Financing of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan (A/64/566, A/64/632 and A/64/660/Add.3));

Agenda item 150 (Financing of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (A/64/583, A/64/670 and A/64/660/Add.8));

Agenda item 163 (Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 1863 (2009) (A/64/644 and A/64/754));

Agenda item 148 (Financing of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (A/64/584, A/64/584/Corr.1, A/64/673, A/64/673/Corr.1 and A/64/660/Add.7)); and

Agenda item 157 (Financing of the United Nations Mission in Liberia (A/64/601, A/64/647, A/64/660/Add.9 and A/64/712))

General Assembly

Review Conference on the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . 11th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Opening of the resumed Review Conference by the President . . . . . [1]

Address by the Secretary-General or his representative . . . . . [2]

Adoption of the agenda (A/CONF.210/2010/L.1) . . . . . [3]

Election to fill vacancies in the composition of the Bureau . . . . . [4]

Organization of work (A/CONF.210/2010/L.2) . . . . . [5]

Credentials of representatives to the Conference: report of the Credentials Committee [6]

Presentation of the report of the ninth round of informal consultations of States Parties to the Agreement . . . . . [7]

Assessment of the effectiveness of the Agreement in securing the conservation and management of straddling fish stocks and highly migratory fish stocks, as guided by the organization of work of the Conference . . . . . [8]

(a) Review of the implementation of the recommendations adopted at the Review Conference in 2006

3–6 p.m. . . . . 12th meeting . . . . . Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Assessment of the effectiveness of the Agreement in securing the conservation and management of straddling fish stocks and highly migratory fish stocks, as guided by the organization of work of the Conference . . . . . [8]

(a) Review of the implementation of the recommendations adopted at the Review Conference in 2006

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 10 (NLB)

1. World Food Programme
2. Executive meeting

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund

Informal consultation

An informal consultation on the annual report of the Administrator of UNDP on "Strategic plan: Performance and results for 2009" will take place on *Monday, 24 May 2010*, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, in the Hank Shannon Conference Room (DC1-Building, 21st floor). Interested delegations are invited to attend.

Conferences at Headquarters

Monday, 24 May 2010

2010 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation Nuclear Weapons

Main Committee I

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Main Committee II

3–6 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Main Committee III

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Open meeting . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

[*Note*: Further information on the Conference and the list of side events can be found at <www.un.org/en/conf/npt/2010/>.]

Other meetings

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Monday, 24 May 2010

International Criminal Court: Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

8.45–9.45 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals)

9 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on matters related to oceans and the law of the sea)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group of the General Assembly to follow up on the issues contained in the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Third Committee matters)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Informal consultation on the draft resolution entitled "The right to education in emergency situations", under agenda item 114 of the sixth-fourth session of the General Assembly (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, Nicaragua, Norway and Qatar)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Joint Coordinating Committee of the Non-Aligned Movement and the Group of 77 (Second and Fifth Committee experts) (system-wide coherence) (preamble, governance and proposals for the Long-term Independent System-wide Evaluation Mechanism)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Informal consultations on the Review Conference of the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Brazil and Kenya)

3–5 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Monday, 24 May 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

11 a.m. . . . . H.E. Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General

12.30 p.m. Pew Environment Group (on the state of high seas fisheries management) [*Participants*: Ms. Kristin Von Kistowski, Senior Advisor to the Pew Environment Group; and Ms. Sarika Cullis-Suzuki, researcher at the University of British Columbia] [*Moderator*: Dr. Susan Lieberman, International Policy Director for the Pew Environment Group]

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Tuesday, 25 May 2010, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

The Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects will be held from Monday, 14, to Friday, 18 June 2010, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional agenda and programme of work are contained in A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/L.1* and A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/L.2*, respectively. Further information can be found at <www.poa-iss.org/bms4/>.

Participants are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Biennial Meeting, Mr. Timur Alasaniya (room IN-611; fax 1 (212) 963-5305 — c/o Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (e-mail cianciulli@un.org)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

Committee on Contributions
Seventieth session

The Committee on Contributions will hold its seventieth session at Headquarters from Monday, 7, to Friday, 25 June 2010.

The attention of any Member States intending to request an exemption under Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations is drawn to the provisions of General Assembly resolution 54/237 C, in which the Assembly, inter alia, urges such Member States to provide the fullest possible supporting information.

The Committee on Contributions will also be considering multi-year payment plans submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/4 B, as reaffirmed in resolution 64/248 of the Assembly. Any Member States intending to submit such a plan are also invited to contact the Secretary of the Committee for further information.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Nineteenth Meeting

Working Group of the Bureau

The informal Working Group of the Bureau of the nineteenth Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold its 8th meeting on the workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fourth session

Working Group on Lessons Learned

An open meeting of the Working Group on Lessons Learned of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

Informal meeting

The vice-presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Chile) and the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs will hold a question-and-answer session on the Secretary-General's report, entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of the emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations", as part of the preparations for the humanitarian affairs segment of the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council, on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room E (NLB).

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

2010 resumed session

The 2010 resumed session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will be held from Wednesday, 26 May, to Friday, 4 June 2010, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional agenda with annotations is contained in document E/C.2/2010/1.

Members of the Committee, as well as observers, who wish to update the composition of their delegations, and new observers wishing to attend the resumed session, are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Saijin Zhang (room IN-0613C; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Background information on the Committee, its procedures, forms and documentation is available on the Web site of the NGO Section, Department of Economic and Social Affairs <www.un.org/esa/coordination/ngo>.

Committee for Programme and Coordination

Fiftieth session

The fiftieth session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination will be held from Monday, 7 June, to Friday, 2 July 2010.

Delegations that have not yet submitted the names of their representatives participating at the fiftieth session are requested to do so, to the office of the Secretary of the Committee (room L-0321; fax 1 (212) 963-0360).

All relevant documentation and the provisional and tentative programme of work of the Committee for Programme and Coordination for the fiftieth session will be available on the following Web site: <www.un.org/ga/cpc>.

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board

Annual session

The 2010 annual session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from Tuesday, 1, to Friday, 4 June 2010, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The provisional annotated agenda, timetable and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2010/8. Advance copies of all documentation for the session are available at <www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_52769.html>.

Member States, as well as observers and representatives of other organizations attending the session, are requested to fax their credentials to the office of the Secretary of the Executive Board of UNICEF (e-mail jpiccolominigeary@unicef.org; tel. 1 (212) 326-7096), as early as possible, but *no later than Wednesday, 26 May 2010.*

In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedures and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

Forthcoming conferences at Headquarters

Pledging Conference for the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia

A Pledging Conference for the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia (ECCC) will be held on Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Delegations are requested to submit, in writing, the names of their representatives to the Pledging Conference to the Secretary of the Conference, Mr. Moncef Khane (e-mail syyap@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

The list of speakers is open. Delegations wishing to be inscribed are requested to contact the secretariat of the Conference (Ms. Celia Syyap (e-mail syyap@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-0906; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)).

Other forthcoming meetings

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Asian Group (monthly meeting)

Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Group of 77 (at the ambassadorial level)

Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

Forthcoming other activities

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Panel discussion on "Make peace happen", theme of the Year of Peace and Security in Africa (on the occasion of Africa Day 2010) (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the African Union, in partnership with the Office of the Permanent Observer Mission of the International Organization of la Francophonie)

Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Diplomatic Ballroom of the Millennium Plaza Hotel.

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the African Union (Ms. Alice Mungwa (e-mail mungwaa@africa-union.org; tel. 1 (212) 319-5490, ext.14); or Ms. Marieme Kane (e-mail kanem@africa-Union.org; tel. 1 (212) 319-5490, ext. 15)).]

UNU Midday Forum on "Environment and migration in the Caribbean" (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

Tuesday, 25 May 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please visit <www.ony.unu.edu/events-forums/new/MDForums/2010/environment-and-migration-in-t.php>; or contact Mr. Koba Tchegoun, UNU-ONY (e-mail koba@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-6387).]

UNITAR/Olof Palme Memorial Fund Workshop on "Effective negotiation in multilateral conferences"

Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 9.15 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.;

Thursday, 27 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.; and

Friday, 28 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

(at the Permanent Mission of Finland (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 222))

[For further information and to register, please visit <www.unitar.org/event/workshop-effective-negotiation-multilateral-conferences-1>; or contact Ms. Hyun Sung, UNITAR (e-mail hyun.sung@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund
Annual session 2010
United Nations Office at Geneva

The 2010 annual session of the Executive Board of UNDP and of UNFPA will be held from Monday, 21 June, to Friday, 2 July 2010, in Conference Room XVIII, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva. The provisional agenda, list of documents and work plan for the session are contained in document DP/2010/L.2. Member States, as well as observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to convey their credentials to the secretariat of the Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA (c/o Ms. Marcela Romero (e-mail marcela.romero@undp.org; fax 1 (212) 906-5634)), as early as possible, *but no later than Friday, 11 June 2010*. The session will be preceded by an informal consultation on matters to be taken up at the annual session of the Board, on Monday, 7 June, from 11 a.m. to 12 noon in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), at Headquarters.

Announcements

***Reminder*: Reports of the Secretary-General on disarmament items to be submitted to the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly**

The Office for Disarmament Affairs would be grateful if Member States could communicate to the Office, in hard copy and electronic version, the relevant data and information, pursuant to the General Assembly resolutions indicated below, *by Monday, 31 May 2010*, so as to facilitate issuance of the reports in time for consideration by the General Assembly at its sixty-fifth session. Kindly send the electronic version simultaneously to Ms. Jenny Fuchs (fuchs@un.org).

Resolution 44/116 O, paras. 8 and 9, entitled "Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Prohibition of the Emplacement of Nuclear Weapons and Other Weapons of Mass Destruction on the Sea-Bed and the Ocean Floor and in the Subsoil Thereof" (A/RES/44/116), adopted on 15 December 1989 (Note verbale ODA/12-2010/SEA-BED, dated 19 February 2010);

Resolution 63/55, para. 2, entitled "Missiles" (A/RES/63/55), adopted on 2 December 2008 (Note verbale ODA/13-2010/MISSILES, dated 26 February 2010);

Resolution 63/70, paras. 2 and 3, entitled "United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education" (A/RES/63/70), adopted on 2 December 2008 (Note verbale ODA/25-2010/ED-STUDY, dated 10 March 2010);

Resolution 64/25, paras. 1, 2 and 3, entitled "Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security" (A/RES/64/25), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/18-2010/IT, dated 26 February 2010);

Resolution 64/26, paras. 10 and 11, entitled "Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East" (A/RES/64/26), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/14-2010/NWFZME, dated 19 February 2010);

Resolution 64/33, para. 4, entitled "Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control" (A/RES/64/33), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/19-2010/EN, dated 26 February 2010);

Resolution 64/34, para. 8, entitled "Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation" (A/RES/64/34), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/20-2010/ML, dated 26 February 2010);

Resolution 64/38, para. 5, entitled "Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction" (A/RES/64/38), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/17-2010/WMDT, dated 19 February 2010);

Resolution 64/49, paras. 2 and 3, entitled "Transparency and confidence-building measures in outer space activities" (A/RES/64/49), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/16-2010/CBM-Outer Space, dated 26 February 2010); and

Resolution 64/55, para. 3, entitled "Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the *Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons*" (A/RES/64/55), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/15-2010/ICJ, dated 26 February 2010).

Reporting to the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms

A note verbale, with attachments, on the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms (ODA/5-2010/TIA) was issued on 16 February 2010. It invites Member States, with reference to General Assembly resolution 64/54 (A/RES/64/54), to provide *by Monday, 31 May 2010,* national reports on international transfers of major conventional arms and also, on an optional basis, on international transfers of small arms and light weapons (SALW), procurement through national production and military holdings as part of additional background information. In accordance with the aforementioned resolution, Member States are also requested to present with national reports their views on "whether the absence of SALW as a main category in the Register has limited its relevance".

For further information and assistance, please contact Mr. Yuriy Kryvonos, Political Affairs Officer, Conventional Arms Branch, Office for Disarmament Affairs (e-mail kryvonos@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-1096; fax 1 (212) 963-8892).

Diplomatic protection

Delegations are reminded that the deadline for the submission of comments of Governments on the recommendation by the International Law Commission to elaborate a convention on the basis of the articles on Diplomatic Protection, annexed to General Assembly resolution 62/67 of 6 December 2007 (A/RES/62/67, operative para. 3) is *Tuesday, 1 June 2010.*

Delegations may send their comments to the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (room M-13065; fax 1 (212) 963-1963).

In addition, it would be appreciated if an electronic version of the comments could also be sent to the following address: ilcweb@un.org.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.shtml> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>.

All comments and suggestions about the daily *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 21 May 2010

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

89th plenary meeting

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/64/407/Add.1) . . . . . [33]

Under rule 66 of the rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided not to discuss the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) that was before the Assembly.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 6 of its report (A/64/407/Add.1) (resolution 64/266).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 33.

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields; Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit: report of the Secretary-General (A/64/701) . . . . . [48 and 114]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda items 48 and 114.

Statements were made by the representatives of India, Pakistan, the Republic of Korea, Slovakia, Azerbaijan, Jamaica, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Nepal, Gabon, Chile, Honduras, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Austria, Ecuador, Norway, Nicaragua, Monaco, Colombia, the Comoros, Guinea, Solomon Islands, China, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Sudan, Algeria, Qatar, Lebanon, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Georgia, Mongolia and Armenia.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda items 48 and 114.

Economic and Social Council

10th meeting

Proposed organization of work for the 2010 substantive session and other organizational matters

A statement was made by the President (Malaysia) of the Council.

Election to fill a vacancy in the Bureau of the Economic and Social Council

The Council elected, by acclamation, H.E. Mr. Octavio Errázuriz (Chile) as Vice-President of the Council to fill the unexpired term of H.E. Mr. Heraldo Muñoz (Chile).

The newly elected Vice-President made a statement.

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Friday, 21 May 2010

General Assembly

International Law Commission
Sixty-second session
United Nations Office at Geneva

3049th meeting — *Reservation to treaties* . . . . . [2]

The Commission continued its consideration of the Special Rapporteur's sixteenth report (A/CN.4/626) on the topic. The Special Rapporteur introduced the first addendum to his sixteenth report (A/CN.4/626/Add.1).

Economic and Social Council

Commission on Science and Technology for Development
Thirteenth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

8th meeting — The summary of the 8th meeting of the Commission will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2010/99).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Convention on Cluster Munitions. Dublin, 30 May 2008

Ratification: Seychelles (20 May 2010)[1]

[1]Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled "2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation", provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations. This year's event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

The list of treaties being highlighted this year has been circulated by depositary notification C.N.243.2010.TREATIES-3 of 28 April 2010. As is customary, it will be possible to undertake treaty actions with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Delegations intending to sign or deposit instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession relating to multilateral treaties deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event may wish to inform their Governments accordingly for the purpose of completing the requisite domestic procedures.

Under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

Further information concerning the 2010 Treaty Event is available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site <http://treaties.un.org> and at the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (contact: Ms. Annebeth Rosenboom (e-mail rosenboom@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047); or Mr. Bradford Smith (e-mail smithb@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3942)). Information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*, which is also available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *May 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Cameroon

H.E. Mr. Michel Tommo Monthe

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H.E. Mr. Abulkalam Abdul Momen

Eastern European States:
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H.E. Mr. Gary Quinlan

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A/RES/64/256 Item 125 — Resolution adopted by the General Assembly — Cooperation between the United Nations and the Collective Security Treaty Organization [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

A/RES/64/259 Item 130 — Resolution adopted by the General Assembly — Towards an accountability system in the United Nations Secretariat [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*

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A/C.5/64/L.37 Item 147 — Financing of the United Nations Operation in Burundi — Draft resolution submitted by the Chair of the Committee following informal consultations [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

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Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

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Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women

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CEDAW/C/2010/46/3 Item 5 of the provisional agenda — Implementation of articles 21 and 22 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women — Reports provided by the specialized agencies of the United Nations system on the implementation of the Convention in areas falling within the scope of their activities — Note by the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

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Goal 6: Combat HIV/AIDS, malaria and other diseases

Official meetings

Tuesday, 25 May 2010

Security Council

10 a.m. . . . . 6320th meeting . . . . . Security Council Chamber
GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation concerning Iraq

Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 1883 (2009) (S/2010/240)

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General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

The informal meeting of the plenary on the organization of a United Nations World Youth Conference will be held *today*, 25 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall. A letter from the Facilitator, dated 19 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

An informal "informal" meeting on system-wide coherence will be held *today*, 25 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB) (Preamble, Governance – including possible legislation concerning the Long-term Independent System-wide Evaluation Mechanism). A letter from the Co-Facilitators, dated 19 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. The work plan on system-wide coherence can be found at the following address: <www.un.org/ga/president/64/issues/swc.shtml>.

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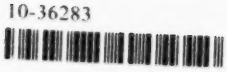

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Morning[1] . . . . . Consultations of the whole (closed) . . . . . Consultations Room GA-TSC-02

UNAMI (S/2010/240)

Other matters

Security Council Chamber

Morning[2] . . . . . 6321st meeting GA-TSC-01

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Chad, the Central African Republic and the subregion

   Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad (S/2010/217)

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 6320th meeting of the Security Council.

[2]To be held following the adjournment of the consultations of the whole.

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities

3–6 p.m. . . . . Informal meeting (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

The third informal meeting of the plenary on a United Nations global plan of action on preventing trafficking in persons, prosecuting traffickers and protecting and assisting victims of trafficking will be held on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

A letter from the Co-Facilitators, dated 21 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

There will be a meeting of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group of the General Assembly to follow up on the issues contained in the Outcome of the Conference on the World Financial and Economic Crisis and Its Impact on Development, on "Reform of the international financial and economic system, including voice and participation of developing countries in the Bretton Woods institutions", on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

A letter from the Co-Chairs, dated 14 May 2010, was sent by facsimile to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

For further information, please visit <www.un.org/esa/ffd/events/2010GAWGFC/>.

General Assembly
Sixty-fourth session

Meetings to elect the President of the sixty-fifth session, Vice-Presidents, Chairs and Bureaux of the Main Committees

The General Assembly will hold a plenary meeting on Friday, 11 June 2010, at 10 a.m. in the General Assembly Hall, to elect the President of the General Assembly at its sixty-fifth session (agenda item 4). Immediately following the plenary meeting, the Main Committees will hold their consecutive meetings for the purpose of electing their Chairs at the sixty-fifth session (agenda item 5) and their respective Bureaux. Immediately following the meetings of the Main Committees, the General Assembly will hold another plenary meeting to elect the Vice-Presidents at its sixty-fifth session (agenda item 6).

The Chairs of regional groups who have not yet communicated their nominations are requested to do so, *as soon as possible*, in order to facilitate the scheduled elections in a timely manner. Communications may be delivered to the General Assembly Affairs Branch (300 East 42nd Street (entrance on Second Avenue), room IN-615 B; or sent by fax 1 (212) 963-4230). Telephone inquiries may be addressed to the focal point, Ms. Mary Muturi (tel. 1 (212) 963-2337).

Launch of the Survey of Conference Services

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations to complete the *Survey of Conference Services*, to help improve the quality of its services. The survey will be accessible until Sunday, 30 May 2010, from the following Web sites: DGACM <www.un.org/Depts/DGACM>; General Assembly <www.un.org/ga/>; Main Committees <www.un.org/ga/maincommittees.shtml>; Committees QuickPlace; deleGATE (iSeek page for Member States) <www.un.int/wcm/content/site/portal>; and eMeets <http://emeets.un.org/dgacm/emeets.nsf>. The Under-Secretary-General for General Assembly and Conference Management would greatly appreciate the assistance of delegations in completing the Survey.

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

10–11.30 a.m.	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
	Informal consultations on agenda item 146 (Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations: closed peacekeeping missions (A/64/605, A/64/659, A/64/659/Corr.1, A/63/581 and A/63/856); and support account for peacekeeping operations (A/64/611, A/64/611/Add.1, A/64/697, A/64/697/Add.1, A/64/697/Add.2, A/64/572, A/64/572/Corr.1, A/64/652 and A/64/753))	
3–6 p.m.	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
	Informal consultations on financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations	

General Assembly

Review Conference on the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks

10 a.m.–1 p.m.	13th meeting	Conference Room 1 (NLB)
3–6 p.m.	14th meeting	Conference Room 1 (NLB)
	Assessment of the effectiveness of the Agreement in securing the conservation and management of straddling fish stocks and highly migratory fish stocks, as guided by the organization of work of the Conference [8]	
	(a) Review of the implementation of the recommendations adopted at the Review Conference in 2006	

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (NLB)
3–6 p.m.	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10 (NLB)
	Executive meeting	

Conferences at Headquarters

Tuesday, 25 May 2010

2010 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation Nuclear Weapons

10–10.30 a.m. . . . . 14th plenary meeting . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

10.30 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . Informal meeting (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Informal meeting (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 4 (NLB)

General Committee

9.30–10 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 8 (General Assembly Building)

[*Note*: Further information on the Conference and the list of side events can be found at <www.un.org/en/conf/npt/2010/>.]

Pledging Conference for the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia

3–6 p.m. . . . . 1st meeting . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

[*Note*: Delegations are requested to submit, in writing, the names of their representatives to the Pledging Conference to the Secretary of the Conference, Mr. Moncef Khane (e-mail syyap@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-5935). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.]

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 25 May 2010

Group of 77 (on the 2010 High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly on the Millennium Development Goals)

9 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room D (NLB)

Group of 77 (at the ambassadorial level)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

1.15–2.30 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Group of 77 (on the draft Ministerial Declaration of the 2010 high-level segment of the substantive session of the Economic and Social Council)

3–6 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room E (NLB)

Non-Aligned Movement: Coordinating Bureau (at the ambassadorial level) (to consider the revised draft outcome document of the 2010 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation Nuclear Weapons)

9–11 a.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room 2 (NLB)

Asian Group (monthly meeting)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB)

Other activities

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Tuesday, 25 May 2010

Panel discussion on "Make peace happen", theme of the Year of Peace and Security in Africa (on the occasion of Africa Day 2010) (organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the African Union, in partnership with the Office of the Permanent Observer Mission of the International Organization of la Francophonie)

From 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Diplomatic Ballroom of the Millennium Plaza Hotel.

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Observer Mission of the African Union (Ms. Alice Mungwa (e-mail mungwaa@africa-union.org; tel. 1 (212) 319-5490, ext.14); or Ms. Marieme Kane (e-mail kanem@africa-Union.org; tel. 1 (212) 319-5490, ext. 15)).]

Panel discussion on "Achieving a world free of nuclear weapons" (organized by the sponsors and co-sponsors of General Assembly resolution 64/35 (A/RES/64/35) declaring 29 August as the International Day against Nuclear Tests)

From 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Israil Tilegen, Permanent Mission of Kazakhstan (e-mail itilegen@yahoo.com; tel. 1 (212) 230-1900, ext. 22).]

UNU Midday Forum on "Environment and migration in the Caribbean" (organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY))

From 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please visit <www.ony.unu.edu/events-forums/new/MDForums/2010/environment-and-migration-in-t.php>; or contact Mr. Koba Tchegoun, UNU-ONY (e-mail koba@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-6387).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Tuesday, 25 May 2010

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon	Press briefing by the Spokesperson
12.30 p.m.	Ms. Radhika Coomaraswamy, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict; Ms. Marta Santos Pais, Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence against Children; and Ms. Hilde Johnson, Deputy Executive Director, United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) (on the launch of several media campaigns to combat violations of children's rights)

Security Council stakeout

Afternoon[1]	Mr. Ad Melkert, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Iraq

[1] To be held following the adjournment of the meeting of the Security Council.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-fourth session

Fifth Committee

Second part of the resumed session

The Fifth Committee will hold its 34th meeting on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB). Informal consultations (closed) will be held at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

General Assembly

Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects

The Fourth Biennial Meeting of States to Consider the Implementation of the Programme of Action to Prevent, Combat and Eradicate the Illicit Trade in Small Arms and Light Weapons in All Its Aspects will be held from Monday, 14, to Friday, 18 June 2010, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional agenda and programme of work are contained in A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/L.1* and A/CONF.192/BMS/2010/L.2*, respectively. Further information can be found at <www.poa-iss.org/bms4/>.

Participants are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Biennial Meeting, Mr. Timur Alasaniya (room IN-611; fax 1 (212) 963-5305 — c/o Mr. Gerard Cianciulli (e-mail cianciulli@un.org)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales will be accepted by e-mail.

Committee on Contributions
Seventieth session

The Committee on Contributions will hold its seventieth session at Headquarters from Monday, 7, to Friday, 25 June 2010.

The attention of any Member States intending to request an exemption under Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations is drawn to the provisions of General Assembly resolution 54/237 C, in which the Assembly, inter alia, urges such Member States to provide the fullest possible supporting information.

The Committee on Contributions will also be considering multi-year payment plans submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/4 B, as reaffirmed in resolution 64/248 of the Assembly. Any Member States intending to submit such a plan are also invited to contact the Secretary of the Committee for further information.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Meeting of States Parties
Nineteenth Meeting

Working Group of the Bureau

The informal Working Group of the Bureau of the nineteenth Meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will hold its 8th meeting on the workload of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf, on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

General Assembly
Security Council

Peacebuilding Commission
Fourth session

Working Group on Lessons Learned

An open meeting of the Working Group on Lessons Learned of the Peacebuilding Commission will be held on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Economic and Social Council

Informal meeting

The vice-presidency of the Economic and Social Council (Chile) and the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs will hold a question-and-answer session on the Secretary-General's report, entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of the emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations", as part of the preparations for the humanitarian affairs segment of the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council, on Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal consultations

The President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Hamidon Ali (Malaysia), will convene informal consultations on the draft 2010 Ministerial Declaration on Thursday, 27 May 2010, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations

2010 resumed session

The 2010 resumed session of the Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will be held from Wednesday, 26 May, to Friday, 4 June 2010, in Conference Room 2 (NLB). The provisional agenda with annotations is contained in document E/C.2/2010/1.

Members of the Committee, as well as observers, who wish to update the composition of their delegations, and new observers wishing to attend the resumed session, are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Saijin Zhang (room IN-0613C; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Background information on the Committee, its procedures, forms and documentation is available on the Web site of the NGO Section, Department of Economic and Social Affairs <www.un.org/esa/coordination/ngo>.

Committee for Programme and Coordination

Fiftieth session

The fiftieth session of the Committee for Programme and Coordination will be held from Monday, 7 June, to Friday, 2 July 2010.

Delegations that have not yet submitted the names of their representatives participating at the fiftieth session are requested to do so, to the office of the Secretary of the Committee (room L-0321; fax 1 (212) 963-0360).

All relevant documentation and the provisional and tentative programme of work of the Committee for Programme and Coordination for the fiftieth session will be available on the following Web site: <www.un.org/ga/cpc>.

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Annual session

The 2010 annual session of the UNICEF Executive Board will take place from Tuesday, 1, to Friday, 4 June 2010, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB). The provisional annotated agenda, timetable and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/2010/8. Advance copies of all documentation for the session are available at <www.unicef.org/about/execboard/index_52769.html>.

Member States, as well as observers and representatives of other organizations attending the session, are requested to fax their credentials to the office of the Secretary of the Executive Board of UNICEF (e-mail jpiccolominigeary@unicef.org; tel. 1 (212) 326-7096), as early as possible, but *no later than Wednesday, 26 May 2010.*

In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedures and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate, with their credentials, their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

Other forthcoming meetings

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Friends of Human Security (expert-level meeting of potential co-sponsors of the General Assembly draft resolution on human security) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Japan and Mexico, in collaboration with the Permanent Mission of Jordan)

Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 3 (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Mr. Alex Dunkel, Permanent Mission of Japan (e-mail alex-dunkel@un-japan.org; tel. 1 (212) 521-1548).]

Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 3 to 6 p.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

Forthcoming other activities

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UNITAR/Olof Palme Memorial Fund Workshop on "Effective negotiation in multilateral conferences"

Wednesday, 26 May 2010, from 9.15 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.;

Thursday, 27 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m.; and

Friday, 28 May 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

(at the Permanent Mission of Finland (866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 222))

[For further information and to register, please visit <www.unitar.org/event/workshop-effective-negotiation-multilateral-conferences-1>; or contact Ms. Hyun Sung, UNITAR (e-mail hyun.sung@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Events organized by the United Nations University Office in New York (UNU-ONY):

Book launch and panel discussion on "The future of financial regulation"

Tuesday, 1 June 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB); and

Briefing on "The (evolving) role of agriculture in poverty reduction: An empirical perspective"

Wednesday, 2 June 2010, from 1.15 to 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and to register, please visit <www.ony.unu.edu/events-forums/new/MDForums/2010/the-future-of-financial-regula.php>; or contact Mr. Tchegoun Koba, UNU-ONY (e-mail koba@unu.edu; tel. 1 (212) 963-6387).]

Informal event on innovative sources of development finance (organized by the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, in partnership with the Permanent Missions of Brazil, Chile, France and Japan)

Thursday, 3 June 2010, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. The meeting will be chaired by the Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on Innovative Financing for Development. For further information, please visit <www.un.org/esa/ffd/events/2010innovfinance/index.htm>; or contact Ms. Dominika Halka, Financing for Development Office (e-mail halka@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6653).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and of the United Nations Population Fund
Annual session 2010
United Nations Office at Geneva

The 2010 annual session of the Executive Board of UNDP and of UNFPA will be held from Monday, 21 June, to Friday, 2 July 2010, in Conference Room XVIII, at the Palais des Nations in Geneva. The provisional agenda, list of documents and work plan for the session are contained in document DP/2010/L.2. Member States, as well as observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to convey their credentials to the secretariat of the Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA (c/o Ms. Marcela Romero (e-mail marcela.romero@undp.org; fax 1 (212) 906-5634)), as early as possible, *but no later than Friday, 11 June 2010*. The session will be preceded by an informal consultation on matters to be taken up at the annual session of the Board, on Monday, 7 June, from 11 a.m. to 12 noon in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (NLB), at Headquarters.

Announcements

***Reminder*: Reports of the Secretary-General on disarmament items to be submitted to the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly**

The Office for Disarmament Affairs would be grateful if Member States could communicate to the Office, in hard copy and electronic version, the relevant data and information, pursuant to the General Assembly resolutions indicated below, *by Monday, 31 May 2010*, so as to facilitate issuance of the reports in time for consideration by the General Assembly at its sixty-fifth session. Kindly send the electronic version simultaneously to Ms. Jenny Fuchs (fuchs@un.org).

Resolution 44/116 O, paras. 8 and 9, entitled "Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the Prohibition of the Emplacement of Nuclear Weapons and Other Weapons of Mass Destruction on the Sea-Bed and the Ocean Floor and in the Subsoil Thereof" (A/RES/44/116), adopted on 15 December 1989 (Note verbale ODA/12-2010/SEA-BED, dated 19 February 2010);

Resolution 63/55, para. 2, entitled "Missiles" (A/RES/63/55), adopted on 2 December 2008 (Note verbale ODA/13-2010/MISSILES, dated 26 February 2010);

Resolution 63/70, paras. 2 and 3, entitled "United Nations study on disarmament and non-proliferation education" (A/RES/63/70), adopted on 2 December 2008 (Note verbale ODA/25-2010/ED-STUDY, dated 10 March 2010);

Resolution 64/25, paras. 1, 2 and 3, entitled "Developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security" (A/RES/64/25), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/18-2010/IT, dated 26 February 2010);

Resolution 64/26, paras. 10 and 11, entitled "Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East" (A/RES/64/26), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/14-2010/NWFZME, dated 19 February 2010);

Resolution 64/33, para. 4, entitled "Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control" (A/RES/64/33), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/19-2010/EN, dated 26 February 2010);

Resolution 64/34, para. 8, entitled "Promotion of multilateralism in the area of disarmament and non-proliferation" (A/RES/64/34), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/20-2010/ML, dated 26 February 2010);

Resolution 64/38, para. 5, entitled "Measures to prevent terrorists from acquiring weapons of mass destruction" (A/RES/64/38), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/17-2010/WMDT, dated 19 February 2010);

Resolution 64/49, paras. 2 and 3, entitled "Transparency and confidence-building measures in outer space activities" (A/RES/64/49), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/16-2010/CBM-Outer Space, dated 26 February 2010); and

Resolution 64/55, para. 3, entitled "Follow-up to the advisory opinion of the International Court of Justice on the *Legality of the Threat or Use of Nuclear Weapons*" (A/RES/64/55), adopted on 2 December 2009 (Note verbale ODA/15-2010/ICJ, dated 26 February 2010).

Reporting to the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms

A note verbale, with attachments, on the United Nations Register of Conventional Arms (ODA/5-2010/TIA) was issued on 16 February 2010. It invites Member States, with reference to General Assembly resolution 64/54 (A/RES/64/54), to provide *by Monday, 31 May 2010,* national reports on international transfers of major conventional arms and also, on an optional basis, on international transfers of small arms and light weapons (SALW), procurement through national production and military holdings as part of additional background information. In accordance with the aforementioned resolution, Member States are also requested to present with national reports their views on "whether the absence of SALW as a main category in the Register has limited its relevance".

For further information and assistance, please contact Mr. Yuriy Kryvonos, Political Affairs Officer, Conventional Arms Branch, Office for Disarmament Affairs (e-mail kryvonos@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-1096; fax 1 (212) 963-8892).

Diplomatic protection

Delegations are reminded that the deadline for the submission of comments of Governments on the recommendation by the International Law Commission to elaborate a convention on the basis of the articles on Diplomatic Protection, annexed to General Assembly resolution 62/67 of 6 December 2007 (A/RES/62/67, operative para. 3) is *Tuesday, 1 June 2010.*

Delegations may send their comments to the Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (room M-13065; fax 1 (212) 963-1963).

In addition, it would be appreciated if an electronic version of the comments could also be sent to the following address: ilcweb@un.org.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.shtml> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>.

All comments and suggestions about the daily *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 24 May 2010

Security Council

6319th meeting

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Letter dated 14 May 2010 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2010/235)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Croatia and Serbia, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to H.E. Mr. Valentin Inzko, High Representative for Bosnia and Herzegovina.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to H.E. Mr. Pedro Serrano, Acting Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by H.E. Mr. Inzko.

Statements were made by H.E. Mr. Haris Silajdžić, Chairman of the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina, and by the representatives of the United States, Japan, Uganda, France, Nigeria, Brazil, Gabon, Austria, Turkey, Mexico, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom and China, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Lebanon.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Croatia and Serbia.

The Council heard a statement by H.E. Mr. Pedro Serrano, Acting Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations (speaking on behalf of the European Union; the candidate countries Turkey and Croatia; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania and Montenegro; as well as the Republic of Moldova and Georgia, which aligned themselves with this statement).

H.E. Mr. Haris Silajdžić, Chairman of the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina, made a further statement.

The representative of the Russian Federation made a further statement.

General Assembly

Review Conference on the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks

11th–12th meetings

The summary of the 11th and 12th meetings of the Review Conference will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2010/100).

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Friday, 21 May 2010

Economic and Social Council

Commission on Science and Technology for Development
Thirteenth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

8th meeting

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [1]

The Commission resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft decisions

Participation of non-governmental organizations and civil society entities in the twelfth session of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development

Participation of Academic entities in the work of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development

Participation of business sector entities, including the private sector, in the work of the Commission on Science and Technology for Development

The Commission had before it three draft texts, submitted by the Chair, Mr. Frédéric Riehl (Switzerland), on the basis of informal consultations, circulated in English only.

The Secretary made a clarification.

Following statements by the representatives of China and Pakistan, the Commission adopted the draft texts, as orally revised, and recommended them to the Economic and Social Council for adoption.

Progress made in the implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the World Summit on the Information Society at the regional and international levels [2]

The Commission resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft resolution

Assessment of the progress made in the implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the World Summit on the Information Society

The Commission had before it a draft text, submitted by the Chair, Mr. Frédéric Riehl (Switzerland), circulated in English only.

A statement was made by the facilitator, Mr. Yasser Hassan (Egypt), in which he reported on the outcome of informal consultations on the draft text.

The Commission was informed that the programme budget implications on the draft resolution would be reviewed by the Programme Planning and Budget Division in New York before taking action in the substantive session of the Economic and Social Council.

Following statements made by the representatives of India and France and the observer for Saudi Arabia, the Commission adopted the draft text and recommended it to the Economic and Social Council for adoption.

After the adoption, statements were made by the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran and the observer for Saudi Arabia.

The Commission thus concluded consideration of agenda item 2.

Priority themes [3]

(a) Improvements and innovations in existing financial mechanisms

(b) New and emerging technologies

The Commission resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft resolution

Science and technology for development

The Commission had before it a draft text, submitted by the Chair, Mr. Frédéric Riehl (Switzerland), circulated in English only.

The Chair informed the Commission that the draft text contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the facilitator, Mr. Vijaya Kumar (Sri Lanka), in which he reported on the outcome of informal consultations on the draft text.

The Commission adopted the draft text.

The Commission thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 3.

Election of the Chair and other officers for the fourteenth session of the Commission [5]

The Commission elected, H.E. The Hon. Ms. Sherry Ayittey (Ghana) as Chair of the fourteenth session of the Commission, by acclamation.

The Commission also elected, by acclamation, H.E. Mr. Štefan Morávek (Slovakia), Mr. Fortunato dela Peña (Philippines), Mr. Frédéric Riehl (Switzerland) and Mr. Alvaro Galvani (Brazil) as Vice-Chairs.

The Commission postponed the election of the remaining Vice-Chair to the next session.

Provisional agenda and documentation for the fourteenth session of the Commission [6]

The Commission had before it a text of the provisional agenda and documentation for its fourteenth session, which was circulated in English only.

The Secretary made a statement.

The Commission adopted the provisional agenda and documentation for its fourteenth session, and recommended them to the Economic and Social Council for adoption.

A statement was made by the representative of the Dominican Republic.

The Commission thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 6.

Adoption of the report of the Commission on its thirteenth session [7]

The Chair drew to the attention of the Commission the draft report, contained in document E/CN.16/2010/L.1.

A statement was made by the representative of UNCTAD.

The representative of the International Chamber of Commerce made a statement.

The Commission adopted the draft report on its thirteenth session and entrusted the Rapporteur with its completion.

The Commission thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 7.

Closure of the session

The Chair made a statement and declared closed the thirteenth session of the Commission.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights. New York, 16 December 1966

Notification under article 4 (3): Peru (21 May 2010)[1]

Notification under article 4 (3): Peru (21 May 2010)[1]

Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution. Geneva, 13 November 1979

Accession: Guinea-Bissau (19 May 2010)[1]

Protocol to the 1979 Convention on Long-range Transboundary Air Pollution on Long-term Financing of the Co-operative Programme for Monitoring and Evaluation of the Long-range Transmission of Air Pollutants in Europe (EMEP). Geneva, 28 September 1984

Accession: Guinea-Bissau (19 May 2010)[1]

Convention on Environmental Impact Assessment in a Transboundary Context. Espoo, Finland, 25 February 1991

Accession: Guinea-Bissau (19 May 2010)[1]

Convention on the Protection and Use of Transboundary Watercourses and International Lakes. Helsinki, 17 March 1992

Accession: Guinea-Bissau (19 May 2010)[1]

[1] Date of receipt of the relevant documents.

Convention on the Transboundary Effects of Industrial Accidents. Helsinki, 17 March 1992

Accession: Guinea-Bissau (19 May 2010)[1]

Convention on the Law of the Non-Navigational Uses of International Watercourses. New York, 21 May 1997

Accession: Guinea-Bissau (19 May 2010)[1]

Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision-Making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters. Aarhus, Denmark, 25 June 1998

Accession: Guinea-Bissau (19 May 2010)[1]

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer adopted by the Ninth Meeting of the Parties. Montreal, 17 September 1997

Acceptance: China (19 May 2010)[1]

Declaration: China (19 May 2010)[1]

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer. Beijing, 3 December 1999

Acceptance: China (19 May 2010)[1]

Declaration: China (19 May 2010)[1]

Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court. Rome, 17 July 1998

Communication: Argentina (19 May 2010)[1]

Agreement on the Privileges and Immunities of the International Criminal Court. New York, 9 September 2002

Communication: Argentina (19 May 2010)[1]

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Treaty Event

Multilateral Treaty Framework: An invitation to universal participation

2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation

United Nations Headquarters (21–23 and 27–28 September 2010)

It is recalled that a series of successful treaty events have been held annually at the Headquarters of the United Nations commencing with the Millennium Summit in 2000. This year, the annual treaty event will be held from Tuesday, 21, to Thursday, 23 September, and on Monday, 27, and Tuesday, 28 September 2010, at United Nations Headquarters, to coincide with the general debate of the sixty-fifth session of the General Assembly.

The Event, entitled "2010 Treaty Event: Towards universal participation and implementation", provides a distinct opportunity for States to demonstrate their continuing commitment to the central role of the rule of law in international relations.

This year's event will highlight treaties of global reach such as human rights, terrorism, penal matters, disarmament, climate change and the protection of United Nations personnel. In particular, this year will highlight a theme which celebrates and safeguards life on earth, biodiversity. 2010 marks the International Year of Biodiversity; it also marks the start of the United Nations Decade for Deserts and the Fight against Desertification, another global issue requiring a global response.

The list of treaties being highlighted this year has been circulated by depositary notification C.N.243.2010.TREATIES-3 of 28 April 2010. As is customary, it will be possible to undertake treaty actions with regard to any treaty deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event. Necessary facilities, including media coverage, will be made available for treaty actions to be undertaken in a solemn setting.

Delegations intending to sign or deposit instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession relating to multilateral treaties deposited with the Secretary-General during the treaty event may wish to inform their Governments accordingly for the purpose of completing the requisite domestic procedures.

Under established international practice, only Heads of State, Heads of Government or Ministers for Foreign Affairs are empowered, by virtue of their functions, to sign treaties on behalf of States without having to produce full powers to that effect. All other representatives wishing to sign treaties must be in possession of appropriate full powers, which expressly authorize signature of specified treaties by a named representative issued and signed by one of these authorities. Likewise, instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession must be issued and signed by the same authorities.

Further information concerning the 2010 Treaty Event is available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site <http://treaties.un.org> and at the Treaty Section, Office of Legal Affairs (contact: Ms. Annebeth Rosenboom (e-mail rosenboom@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5047); or Mr. Bradford Smith (e-mail smithb@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3942)). Information concerning the requirements for full powers and the deposit of instruments of ratification, acceptance, approval or accession (including model instruments) can be found in the *Treaty Handbook*, which is also available on the United Nations Treaty Collection Web site.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *May 2010* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Cameroon

H.E. Mr. Michel Tommo Monthe

Asian States:
Bangladesh
H.E. Mr. Abulkalam Abdul Momen

Eastern European States:
Hungary
H.E. Mrs. Márta Horváth Fekszi

Latin American and Caribbean States:
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H.E. Mr. Gonzalo Gutiérrez

Western European and other States:
Australia
H.E. Mr. Gary Quinlan

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